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 Subject:
 RE: Public Comment in Case #2023-00159

 Date:
 Monday, December 11, 2023 1:40:00 PM

Case No. 2023-00159

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From:

Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2023 6:52 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment in Case #2023-00159



Dear Commissioners

Case #2023-00159 KY Power Rate Case I think any increase is too much, considering crypto mining businesses are getting a cheaper rate and using lot more electric.

Sincerely, david kash

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Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2023 1:23 PM

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Dear Commissioners

Case #2023-00159 KY Power Rate Case

Have you inquired with KP about how much bitcoin mining is on their grid and at what rate the miners are paying for electricity? As you may know, bitcoin miners demand so much electricity that they receive incredible discounts from power companies, which they can only afford by increasing the rates of retail customers.

https://cepr.org/voxeu/columns/when-cryptomining-comes-town-high-electricity-use-spillovers-local-

 $\underline{economy\#:} \text{``:} text=The\%20 authors\%20 find\%20 that\%20 households, increased\%20 electricity\%20 consumption\%20 by\%20 cryptominers.$

Sincerely, Daniel Lau

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Dear Commissioners

Case #2023-00159 KY Power Rate Case

I am highly concerned regarding the proposed rate hikes and am hopeful that the settlement will be approved to ensure that low to moderate income users do not disproportionately suffer. As you know, KY Power's investor-owned residential customers already pay the highest average monthly bill in the state at \$187.56 according to a state report published this summer. However, the rate reduction doesn't do enough to mitigate the financial burden many in Eastern Kentucky face. I appreciate the additional incentives that KY Power plans to provide, but more investments in energy efficiency will be needed to avoid higher usage especially in the Ashland area. Thank you for considering these comments and thank you for working to make our utilities more affordable.

Sincerely, Alexandria Knipp

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Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2023 8:17 AM

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Dear Commissioners

Case #2023-00159 KY Power Rate Case

Please ensure that KP significantly increases support for projects which will REDUCE the energy burdens for their rate-payers, not just hacking up rates for those who can't afford their current bills. Pay as you save, on bill financing of weatherization/efficiency programs, roof top & community solar should all be created and resourced by the KP & its extremely profitable parent company, AEP.

Sincerely, Aaron Viles